GOVERNMENT OF ANDHRA PRADESH ABSTRACT

Andhra Pradesh Vaidya Vidhana Parishad (APVVP) – Quality Maternal and Child Health Services in APVVP Hospitals – Administrative Integration of Mother and Child Health (MCH) Hospitals with the local District and Area Hospitals - Orders - Issued.

MEDICAL, HEALTH AND FAMILY WELFARE (C1) DEPARTMENT

G.O. Ms. No. 149

Dated: 26.06.2010

Read the following:

APVVP Letter No. 17321 / M1.A/2010 dated 12 March 2010

ORDER:

The Commissioner of AP Vaidya Vidhana Parishad has submitted proposals stating that the Maternal and Child Health (MCH) Hospitals located at Vizianagaram, Nellore, Adoni, King Kothi, Siddipet, and Nirmal are working independently of the District / Area Hospitals located at the same place, resulting in ineffective use of valuable resources. Further, due to separate and independent management structure, there has been significant duplication of MCH services by both facilities and lack of effective referral services.

2. In this context, the Government after careful consideration of the proposal, hereby order for the integration of following MCH Hospitals with the local Area / District Hospitals for better quality mother and child health services, effective use of available resources, especially the available specialists, equipment and infrastructure, and integrated management of the hospital:

SN	MCH Hospital	Area / District Hospital
1	MCH Hospital, Vizianagaram	Merged with District Hospital,
		Vizianagaram
2	MCH Hospital, Nellore	Merged with DSR Hospital, Nellore
3	MCH Hospital, Adoni	Merged with Area Hospital, Adoni
4	MCH Hospital, Shalibanda	Merged with District Hospital, King
		Kothi
5	MCH Hospital, Siddipet	Merged with Area Hospital,
		Siddipet
6	MCH Hospital, Nirmal	Merged with Area Hospital, Nirmal

- 3. The Government hereby orders that the merged hospital should function as a single unit with all resources human, financial, and material being commonly shared and utilised optimally and effectively. The existing mother and child services unit and the comprehensive obstetric and neonatal care (CEMONC) Centre in the Area / District Hospital should be merged with the existing MCH Hospital and the entire unit shall function under the overall control and supervision of the senior-most doctor. This integrated MCH Unit shall be developed as the 'Centre of Excellence for Mother and Child Health Services' for the district where it is located.
- 4. The senior-most doctor of the integrated hospital shall be appointed as the Hospital Superintendent and shall have the responsibility for overall supervision and control over the entire hospital. The services of the anaesthetist should be utilised efficiently by all surgical and emergency units of the integrated hospital, however with highest priority being assigned to safe motherhood and child survival interventions.

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- 5. The Superintendents of the above hospitals are hereby directed to submit detailed action plan for development of these hospitals as centres of excellence for mother and child health services in accordance with the Indian Public Health Standards (IIPH) by 20 July 2010.
- 6. The Commissioner of Health and Family Welfare, the Commissioner of AP Vaidya Vidhana Parishad and the District Coordinators of Hospital Services shall take necessary action accordingly.

(BY ORDER AND IN THE NAME OFF THE GOVERNOR OF ANDHRA PRADESH)

Dr. P VENKAT RAMESH SECRETARY TO THE GOVERNMENT

To

The Commissioner of Health and Family Welfare, A.P., Hyderabad

The Commissioner of A.P. Vaidya Vidhana Parishad, Hyderabad.

Copy to:

The Director of Public Health and Family Welfare, Hyderabad

The District Collectors and District Magistrates, Vizianagarm, Nellore, Kurnool, Hyderabad, Medak and Adilabad.

The District Coordinators of Health Services of APVVP of Nellore, Hyderabad, Kurnool, Medak and Adilabad districts

The Superintendents of MCH / District / Area Hospitals of Vizianagaram, Nellore, Adoni, King Kothi, Siddipet, Nirmal, Shalibanda.

All Regional Directors of Medical & Health Services

The OSD to Hon'ble Minster (ME), AP Secretariat, Hyderabad.

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The OSD to Hon'ble Minster (Aarogyasri, 108,104 & APHMHIDC), Hyderabad.

The PS to the Special Chief Secretary (M&H)

SPIU of HM &FW Department

The Representative, Family Health International Hyderabad

The Director, Indian Institute of Public Health, Hyderabad

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